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WOMEN UNITE ON COMMON GROUND FOR UPLIFT WORK

One Thousand of Them Troops Are Unable to Pontiff Is Said to Be Attend Y. W. C. A. Biennial Convention.

BRILLIANT SCENE AT OLD ST. PAUL'S

President of Richmond Association Welcomes Delegates Here From Every State in Interest of Broader Womanhood. Daughter of President Wilson in Attendance.

From nearly every State, 1,000 wo-

of women. With them there arrived in the staid old capital of the Confederacy, the unseen spirit of the woman movement which the big convenued their rifles. A woman and boy

There was not absent the color and life which accompanies the gathering of women from many States for whatever purpose. The auditorium of St. Efforts of the Mayor to bring about ever purpose. The auditorium of St Paul's never in its history held a convention, for business assembled, so gay in color and dress. For, be it known, that while Young Women's Christian Associations lay stress on uplift and service, their members, as their very name implies, are far from the members, and their very name implies, are far from the members, and offered to lay their them before a board of arbitration.

permanent home for its young women.
Richmond's gates, she told them, were opened wide to receive the sisters from Sulver.

Graham Taylor, president of the Chica-go School of Civics and Philanthropy, on the subject "The Responsibility of Christian Workers for the Betterment of Social Conditions."

Convention Formally Opens. at 2:30 o'clock by Mrs. Buchanan, Rev. W. Russell Bowle, rector of St. Paul's formally inaugurated the meeting with reading from the Scriptures and

prayer,
Mrs. Stephen B. L. Penrose, of Walla Walla, Wash., was elected convention president, being the unanimous choice of the nominating committee. Mrs Fenrose is president of the association in her home city, and has been active in association work for about fifteen years. Her husband is prest dent of Whitman College, in Walla Walla, and is a first cousin of Sera-

tor Boles Penrose, of Pennsylvania.
Miss Katherine H. Hawes, president of the Richmond association, was elected first vice-president, Mrs. Kendali Emerson, of Massachussetts, second vice-president, and Miss Lillian Sher-man, of California, and Miss Anna Me-Clintock, of Colorado, national secre-

The principal address was delivered by Rev. Cornelius Woelfkin, pastor of the Fifth Avenue Baptist Church, New York, who spoke on "Religion." He preached the religion which is the strength of conviction derived from the experiences of life, and which is in-dependent of creeds and theologies.

"Fashions are the grace of God," he serted. "Think how monotenous life would be if we all dressed alike. The old time Quakers, who expressed their conformity by wearing a set costume, have disappeared, even from Philadel-phia. Men have learned that mer- uniformity is not unity; and it is the same with creeds. It is right that they should change, and that each man

they should believe as he chooses.

Tolerates No Idols.

"True religion tolerates no idols.
The man who accepts a creed in place True religion tolerates no idels. The man who accepts a creed in place of a real experience of life and realization of the truth, is an idelater. He who accepts a theology in lieu of the brain-sweat of working out his complete, is an idelater. Even adoration of the cross may become idelation of the cross may become idelative. Thorns.

"Religion does not come like the dew at night, nor does it brighten in the mind like a dawn in June. Religion is born of storm and stress. When life is passing, and doubts and the sight of death and pain, and all sequences are constituted for the state of aggression in defending a fortified position appearing to baffle the attackers. Stripped of Skin, Victims Are the barefooted soldiers met them not alone barefooted soldiers met them not alone with fire from the trenches, but with fi

the mind like a dawn in June. Religion is born of storm and stress. When life is passing, and doubts and the sight of death and pain, and all zerother negatives of the universe beset one, religion is born as the one positive thing, defying all of these.

"Religion is thus the base line of all humanity human unity, and binds all humanity together, for while men differ in the storm of the storm

FIXED BAYONETS HOLD NO TERRORS FOR STRIKERS

Control Rioters at Buffalo.

GUNS RESORTED TO BY SOLDIERS

Woman and Boy Drop Before Great Crowd Gathers in Front of Bullets, While Man Receives Bayonet Thrust-Calling Out of Reinforcements Now Considered-Little Encouragement for Settlement.

men, including a daughter of President fixed bayonets held no terror for the Woodrow Wilson, have assembled here striking car men of the International to attend the fourth blennial conven- Railway Company and their sympa-Association of America, which spened its sessions in St. Paul's Episcopal Church yesterday afternoon.

Association of America, which spened of former days of the strike were not only as numerous, but of a more serious Church yesterday afternoon.

Not since the convention of the nature. All efforts to resume traffic United Daughters of the Confederacy, were blocked, and all the cars were more than a year ago, was the city withdrawn at nightfall after an interhost to so distinguished a gathering withdrawn at nightfall after an inter-of women. With them there arrived mittent operation of less than four

were wounded and a man received a

their very name implies, are far from being too old for a wholesome respect for the fashions. There was the subdivided air of a mighty gathering in serious conclave, but there was also much good tailoring and hundreds of much good tailoring and hundreds of more troops was under serious consideration to-night was taken as an Welcomed to Richmond.

Miss Katherine H. Hawes, president indication that a peaceful settlement of the Richmond association, welcomed the delegates to a city which only last year raised \$150,000 by nopular subscription with which to build a subscription with which to build a ineffective policing force. If more the resulting part of the Pone for its young women ineffective policing force. If more the resulting physicians found that the resulting physicians for the resulting physicians

Richmond's gates, she told them, were opened wide to receive the sisters from near and far, and the heart of Ricks mond's people welcome them. Mrs. C. J. Buchanan, of Indianapolis, first vice-president of the national association, responded for the delegates, paying a tribute to the courtesy and hospitality for which the South and Richmond in particular is known.

Two addresses featured the opening duy. The first, on the subject "Religion," came at 2 o'clock in the afternoon, and was delivered by Rev. Cornellus Woelfkin, D. D., pastor of the Fith Avenue Baptist Church, New York, His address followed & welcomer with the subject of the preparing to drop more obstructions of the from the frough the fissued by Governor Sulzer.

Troops Are Defied.

The most serious disorders of the day occurred on Main Street almost within the business section, and on Niagara Street, near the International bridge it was at the latter point that the trouble leading to bloogshed occurred. Near the international bridge the Niagara street car lines pass under a railroad bridge. A gaing of rioters carrying heavy timbers rushed upon the bridge as a car was approaching and tried to drop a railroad tie upon it. It missed the car. The rioters were preparing to drop more obstructions full this improvement during the night, and this improvement was maintained throughout the day, although the afternoon temperature showed a slight increase. Again this devening he attended to be vering his temperature rose slightly but the difference from that of the trouble leading to bloogshed occurred. Near the international bridge the Niagara street car lines pass under a railroad bridge of the patients and the trouble day occurred on Main Street almost within the business section, and on Niagara Street, near the International bridge the Niagara Street, near the International bridge the Niagara Street, near the International bridge to bloogshed occurred. Near the International bridge the Niagara Street car lines pass under a railroad bridge of the patients an leveled their rifles. The hooting and (Continued on Ninth Page.)

Von Buelow Transferred To Circumvent Cupid

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.] Washington, April 9.—The foreign colony, believes, firmly, that, the transfer of the popular Herr von Buelow, of the German embassy, to the home office is directly due to the recent report of his engagement to Miss Gladys Ingalls, who is an heir-

ess to millions.

Recently the German diplomatic corps was startled by the ruling that no diplomat could marry other than German girls without the con-sent of the German Foreign Office. It was thought that this rule was brought about by the great pre-

eign diplomatic corps.

Miss logalls is the daughter of
Mr. and Mrs. Melville Ingalls, of
Washington, Cincinnati and Hot
Springs. She was an intimate
school friend of Miss Helen Taft,
and one of the pretting debugger. and one of the prettlest debutantes of last senson.

Herr von Buelow shares the fate

of several popular German bachelor diplomats who have been trans-ferred recently. It is presumed the linking of their names with American belies was at least an indirect cause of their removal.

PHYSICIANS FIND POPE'S CONDITION IS NOT ALARMING

in No Immediate Danger.

PUBLIC ANXIETY LITTLE ALLAYED

St. Peter's and Gazes at Windows of Room Occupied by Head of Church-Marchiafava Indignant Over Exaggerated Reports.

Patient's Fever Rises Constantly

Rome, April 10 .- At 4 o'clock this (Thursday) morning the Pope's tem-perature had risen to 39.8 degrees centigrade (103 degrees Fahrenheit). Although his fever had risen con-stantly during the past two hours and a half, it was said that the patient was not in distress, and ap-peared to be in as satisfactory con-dition as could be expected.

Professor Marchigfava admitted early this morning, after a visit to the papal chamber, that His Holiness is suffering from inflamma-tion of the kidneys, complicated with dropsy of a cardiac origin.

This was taken as confirmation of This was taken as confirmation of the widely circulated report during the early evening that the Pontif was known to be suffering with chronic Bright's disease of over a

[By Associated Press.] Rome, April 9 .- All official reports regarding the condition of Pope Plux X. agree that his condition is not grave, and that there is no immediate

of Brigadier-General Weich, provided in ineffective policing force. If more the condition of the Pope had improved the condition of the Pope had improved during the night, and this improvement was maintained throughout the day.

coming ceremonies and the report of the nominating committee. The eventhe nominating committee. The even-ing address was made by Professor. They jeered at the soldiers. Another to the report in some cases that the Graham Taylor, president of the Chica-warning was given while the soldiers. Pope is afflicted with asthma. This, however, is erroneous. The condition of albuminuria, which usually accompanies influenza, also is present, in dicating an inflammation of the kid-neys of greater or lesser degree. This may be of a transitory char-

Professor Marchiafava visited the Pope only twice to-day, morning and evening, and expressed satisfaction at the course the illness is taking. The Pope's sister and niece spent much time at the bedside, and when not there, were kept constantly informed by telephone as to the progress of

The Pope has expressed terror at what the newspapers are capable of inventing about his relapse. He is being watched in turn by his valet and secretaries, Mgrs. Bressan and Pescini, and the Chemist Monk Pros-dosimo also is in close attendance. When, during the afternoon, he felt

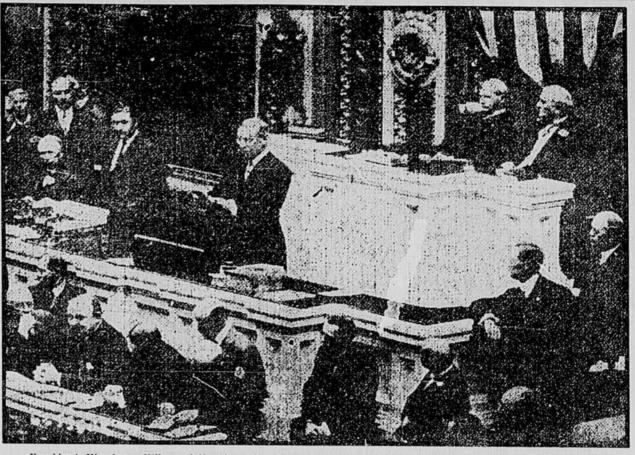
the effect of a thunderstorm of extra-ordinary violence, the Pope remarked that his organism was so sensitive to atmospheric changes that he had come to be a kind of barometer and ther-mometer. It was reported that Cardinal Kat-

schthaler, Archbishop of Salzburg, had postponed his departure, as he wished to be in Rome in case of eventualities but this proved not to be true, as he left here to-day for his home, and this is considered another evidence that the Pontiff has really improved, or at least that the danger is not imminent.

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BY BLOODTHIRSTY YAQUI BAND

ANOTHER PRECEDENT IS BROKEN WHEN WILSON GOES TO CAPITOL



President Woodrow Wilson delivering his address to the specially convened Sixty-third Congress. This is the first time since the days of John Adams, the second President of the United States, that the Chief Executive of the country has delivered a message direct to Congress.

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GENERAL STRIKE IS CALLED AS LAST DESPERATE MEASURE

On Monday 400,000 Belgium Workers Will Lay Down Their Tools.

"NONCOMBATANTS" IN FLIGHT

Experiment With New Political Weapon Is of World-Wide Import.

Last Hope Is Gone

of the Socialists of intervention by the King to prevent the great gen-eral strike called to enforce the granting by the government of manhood suffrage, now appears to have disappeared. It is pointed out that such action in the existing circum-stances would be unconstitutional and would be regarded by the Cler-

cals as a coup d'etat.

That the government now will accept a compromise also is highly improbable, judging from the active military preparations which are go-ing on. Orders for the departure of a large body of troops for camp have been countermanded and the troops will be distributed among the various industrial centres to safeguard the gas and electric plants, the railroads, tunnels and bridges. Large forces of gendarmes also have been drafted and will be stationed in places regarded by the government as danger points.

Brussels, Belgium, April 9 .- The first will cease or be greatly impeded after front. ants, as it were, in safety in neutral subject states. Offers of provisional homes Court. D abroad have arrived this week at the rate of 1,000 dally, and the directing committee of the strike has received Other Days Recalled.

The spectacle of the immense square in front of St. Peter's to-day recalled 11,000 offers thus far, 6,000 from France, (Continued on Second Page)

CAPTIVES TORTURED TO DEATH

Will of Late King George of Greece Gives the Lie to His Detractors

(By Captain A. H. Trapman.)

Athens, April 9.—I am in position to cable exclusive details of the will of the late King George, which, written in Danish, was opened for the first time yesterday by the royal family. The terms will not become generally known for several days and when published are bound to create a sensation. The document is chiefly political, but throughout shows the great love held by the King for his adopted country. It enjoins his successor that one consideration only is important—namely, the eventful welfare of the Greek nation, to which he must subordinate all personal feelings and also all passing political considerations.

The testament only disposes of \$750,000, thus giving the lie to the detractors of the late monarch who pretended that he had amassed great wealth at the expense of Greece. This money was equally divided between his two youngest sons, who were, otherwise, almost

Penniless.

The enormous palace in Denmark is to be sold like the rest of personal property and the money accruing therefrom will provide all the members of the royal family with an annual income of \$20,000.

King Constantine is now engaged in translating the will, which will be read to the Greek Parliament.

NO INTERFERENCE HOUSECLEANING WITH CALIFORNIA BEGUN BY M'ADOO

Wilson Lets It Be Known That Secretary Is Determined to Have Legislature May Do as It Please

active move in preparation for a great of the California Legislature in the general strike to enforce the grant pending alien land law there, aimed Secretary said: made to-day by the sending out of the stood in official circles that neither country of many children of the 300.down their tools on Monday, April 14, will desist using good offices in a perat the bidding of the Socialist party. sonal way to avert what the Japanese It is expected that the train service government might construe as an af-

Sunday, and the wives and daughters of hundreds of workmen with the little day that it was not his purpose to attempt interference with the sovereignty The President let it be known toneighbors are crossing the frontiers of a State, but that, of course, any State on every train, placing the noncombat. legislation affecting treaty rights was to review by the Court. Diplomatists pointed out to-day that another question, also involving treaty obligations, is pending between Japan and the United States-that of the fur seal convention.

Former President Taft, just before leaving office, urged Congress to pass certain laws, that the United States might not be "remiss in observing treaty obligations."

Great Britain, too, has made repre-

sentations on what it claims to be a nonfulfillment of the fur seal treaty. It is suggested now that any charge of a breach of treaty obligations with Japan and Great Britain on the California legislation and fur seal questions might become a factor in the tions might become a factor in the pending negotiations between the United States and Great Britain over the exemption of American coastwise ships from canal tolls which Great Britain also contends to be a breach of

SAYS JUDGE IS A DARLING

the mind like a dawn in June. Relight on is born of storm and stress. When life is passing, and doubts and the sight of death and pain, and all is eight of death and pain, and all is other negatives of the universe best-on, religion is born as the one positive thing, defying all of these.

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New Blood in Treasury Department.

Washington, April 9.—While President Wilson let it be known to-day.

Washington, April 9.—Reorganiza- any sort of party program. The President was ask after a conference with Representative Raker, that the Federal government McAdoo, of the Treasury Department, would not interfere with the action of the California Legislature in the pending allon land law there, aimed principally at Japanese, it is underblood shall be brought into the ser-

Mr. McAdoo asked for the resigna-tions of Collector Chester W. Hill, Surveyor Perry M. Lytle, Appraiser Fred P. Vincent and Naval Officer Walter T. Merrick, all of Philadelphia. He officially announced that the resignations were requested, "not because of charges have been preferred against them, but because it is deemed essential that these places shall be filled persons who are in sympathy w the purpose and policies of the adminlie that new blood shall be brought

into the service."

Treasury officials contented themselves with that brief statement, which was the first indication that a sweeping reorganization of the customs service. vice was about to begin. Officials were reticent as to possible future moves in this direction, but it is known that the Secretary has his eyes on the Bosgeton office, where an alleged customs scandal is being unearthed. Close atscandal is being unearthed.

tention is being given to the general question of reorganization in the President would be in his room connection with the radical redistrict- at 3 o'clock, and would like to reing of the service on July 1.

SECOND TO THE CAT

In President's Room, He Confers With Fellow-Democrats.

VISIT CONDUCTED WITH SIMPLICITY

When Conference Is Over, He Steps Into Corridor to Tell Newspaper Men Results of Meeting-He Sees No Difficulty in Party Uniting on Program.

Washington, April 9 .- In the inerest of success for the Democratic tariff revision bill. President Wilson to-day stepped over another obstacle in the way of perfect harmony be-tween the White House and the directing forces of Congress. For the second successive day he left his of-fices in the White House and jour-neyed to the Capitol, this time for an hour and a halt-conference with Democratic members of the Senate

Finance Committee.
At its conclusion, the President stated frankly to newspaper men that he and members of the Senate were agreed that nothing stood in the way of harmonious support of the "party platform" as to tariff revision.

The Senate situation was canvassed in detail in the conference. The dan-gers that might threaten a single bill, should the opponents of free sugar and free wool combine insufficient strength to endanger the Democratic majority in the Senate, were disgussed; but no agreement was reached that binds the Senate leaders to any definite line of action.

While the Senate conference was in progress, the full Democratic membership of the House was in caucus at the other end of the Capitol, dis-cussing the details of the tariff bill, the first schedule of which was agreed to without change. Representative Underwood, the Democratic leader, stated at the conclusion of the day's caucus that the tariff revision would go through the House as a single bill.

Precedent Is Ignored.
The President again ignored long standing precedent in seeking a legislative conference within the Capitol. He met the Senators in the President's room, near the Senate chamber, where Presidents have long come to sign the last bills of a dying Congress, but which had never be-fore been used for such a purpose as to-day's within the knowledge of Senate historians.

At the end of the con-ference, the President, with Democratic simplicity, stepped into the Senate corridor to tell newspaper men the results of the meeting. Members of the Senate Finance Committee had agreed that the Presi-dnt should be the only spokesman for the conference.

"I hope the Senators and Representatives will permit me to come here frequently and confer with them in a way to save their time and mine," he said. "At our conference this afternoon we were, of course, discussing the tariff. The net result is we don't see any difflculty about standing together on

The President was asked if the conference had decided whether the tariff would be revised in a single bill or schedule by schedule. 'That's a matter for the other end

of the Capitol," he answered, pointing toward the House side.
"But they will be guided by your advice, will they not?" he was asked

by the newspaper men.
"I haven't asked them," rejoined the President, with a smile. Told of Difficulties.

The President had been informed by the Senators fully of the difficulties ahead of the tariff bill if it came to the Senate as a single measure. Further investigation is to be made, to determine strength that could be mustered by opponents of free sugar and free wool. As a result of today's conference, which is to be resumed later, it is believed the President will not object if Senate leaders determine it is esential that the tariff be split up into a number of measures.

President Wilson's decision to visit the Capitol was communicated to Senator Simmons and to the sergeant-at-arms of the Senate early in the day.

Senator Simmons was notified that the President would be in his room sume there the conference with Finance, Committee members which began Monday morning at the White House. Extreme simplicity sur-Wife is Given Meat Purchased for Tabby.

New York, April 9.—"I brought this meat home for the cat, but as she has disappeared, I guess the meat is good enough for you to eat," was what Ernest H. Glass told his wife, according to her testimony in her suit ror divorce heard before Supreme Court Justice Amend to-day.

House. Extreme simplicity surrounded the President's arrival at and departure from the Capitol. The senate was deserted, and but few people witnessed the coming and going of the executive, or realized the importance of the precedent he had (Continued on Second Page.)

WILLARD MAY BE MADE AMBASSADOR TO ITALY

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]
Washington, April 9.—The President will send soon, probably on Friday.

the following nominations to the Senate:
Waiter H. Page, of New York, ambassador to England: Pleasant A. Stovail, of Georgia, minister to Switzerland; Henry C. Breckenridge, of Kentucky, Assistant Secretary of War; William H. Osborne, of North Carolina,
Commissioner of Internal Revenue.

It is also probable that the nominations will include that of Colonel Joseph E. Willard, of Virginia, as ambassador to Italy. It was learned on high authority to-day that Colonel John T. McGraw, of West Virginia, had been offered the post to Austria-Hungary, but had declined it.